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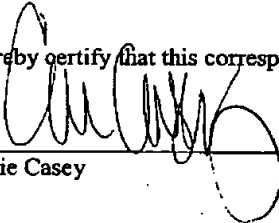
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Our Reference: 066661-0021

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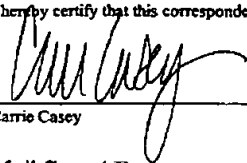
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Dear Sir:

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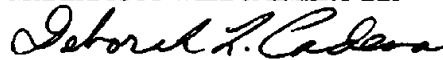
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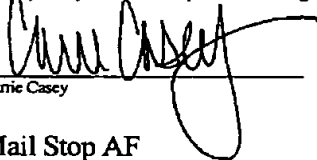
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.121, mailed November 23, 2004, Applicants provide the following listing of claims filed in response to the Office Action of March 16, 2004, and consideration of the following Remarks is respectfully requested.

A complete listing of the pending claims are presented starting on page 2 of the response.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.